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1. IN CONVERSATION WITH FONMIN MWAANGA JAN 16 ON OTHER SUBJECTS, HE TOLD ME OAU COUNCIL OF MINISTERS, WHICH WOULD BE MEETING IN ADDIS ABABA FEB 13 - 21, HAS INSCRIBED THIS SUBJECT AS AGENDA ITEM FOR REFERRAL FOR FAVORABLE DECISION TO HEADS OF STATE BECAUSE OF IMMINENCE OF FULL INDEPENDENCE FOR MOZAMBIQUE AND ANGOLA IN ADDITION TO GUINEA BISSAU AND ABSENCE OF OBSTACLES TO RECOGNITION.

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2. WHILE MWAANGA SAID SENEGAL AND ZAIRE AND POSSIBLY OTHERS HAD UNILATERALLY RECOGNIZED PORTUGAL, ZAMBIA THOUGHT IT BEST TO HANDLE MATTER MULTILATERALLY WITH OTHER AFRICAN NATIONS IN OAU CONTEXT. THUS, IT SEEMS ONLY MATTER OF TIME BEFORE ZAMBIA WILL HAVE DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH PORTUGAL. WILKOWSKI

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